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PART TWO

THE PROTEST OF COLOMBIA

TEXT PUBLISHED BY NEW YORK POST

Call on the United States Senate and the People to Assist in Maintaining the Integrity of Its Territory—Protest Also Sent to London.

New York, Nov. 16.—The Post publishes the following text of the Colombian protest. It is addressed to the United States senate and is signed by President Marroquin:

"The government and people of Colombia have been painfully surprised at notification given by the minister of the United States to the effect that the government at Washington has hastened to recognize a government consequent upon a barracks coup in the department of Panama. Bonds of sincere and uninterrupted friendship which unite the two governments and peoples; the solemn obligation undertaken by the American union in public treaty to guarantee the sovereignty and property of Colombia on the isthmus of Panama, the protection which the citizens of that country enjoy and will continue to enjoy among us; the traditional principles of the American government in opposition to secession movements; good faith which has characterized that great people in its international relations; the manner in which the revolution was brought about and precipitated by its recognition make the government and people of Colombia hope the senate of the United States will admit their obligations to assist us in maintaining the integrity of our territory and in repressing that insurrection, which is not even the result of popular feeling. In thus demanding justice Colombia appeals to the dignity and honor of the American senate and people."

PROTEST SENT LONDON.

London, Nov. 16.—Colombian authorities have cabled to London a lengthy protest against the United States' action toward Panama, in which they claim the "main responsibility for secession of Panama lies with the United States government—firstly, by fomenting separatist spirit, of which there seems to be clear evidence; secondly, by hastily acknowledging the independence of the revolted province; finally, by preventing the Colombian government from using proper means to repress the rebellion."

"The message goes on to say that President Marroquin has energetically protested to the United States and wishes his protest should be known throughout the civilized world."

Colomb, Nov. 16.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Scotia, which arrived off the coast here yesterday, docked here to day. She had among her passengers a number of prominent Colombians who formed the peace commission from the department of Bolivar. General Reyes was not on board. She did not carry any Colombian troops.

PROTEST RECEIVED.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The protest of Colombia against recognition by the United States of the independence of Panama was received to day by Senator Frye as president pro tem of the senate. The document was not laid before the senate because of diplomatic requirement that it should be transmitted through the secretary of state. It is in Spanish and Frye had it translated with a view to transmitting it to Secretary Hay to morrow. It will be sent to the secretary with the request that it be speedily returned, when Frye will lay it before the senate.

SECOND TRIAL BEGUN.

Cincinnati, Nov. 16.—The second trial of Daniel Voorhes Miller, formerly assistant attorney in the postoffice department at Washington, and Joseph M. Johns, attorney of Rockville, Ind., began to day before Federal Judge Thompson. They are charged with conspiracy to extort a bribe from John J. Ryan, a turf commissioner.

BLOWN TO PIECES.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Four men were blown to pieces on a stock farm owned by Dr. J. B. Hartman, of South Columbus, to day. How the accident occurred will never be known, for all those present are dead. The men were clearing the farm of stumps and stones.

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

Omaha, Nov. 16.—The general missionary committee of the Methodist Episcopal church to day closed up its business after appropriating sums for foreign and home work aggregating over \$1,500,000. Boston was chosen as the place for holding the conference next year.

KITCHENER INJURED.

Simla, India, Nov. 16.—Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the British forces in India, is suffering from a broken leg, the result of his horse becoming frightened and colliding with the wall of a tunnel through which he was riding.

A COLD WAVE.

Omaha, Nov. 16.—A cold wave struck Nebraska and western Iowa to night with prospects for zero temperature before morning.

HAS A HISTORY

A. D. Belmer Who Attempted Suicide at Taylorville Will Not Tell of His Past.

Taylorville, Nov. 16.—A. D. Belmer, who tried to commit suicide Thursday night in his rooms at the Annex hotel in this city, in convalescing and his recovery is practically assured. With his improvement in health comes an interesting story, romantic in the extreme, which is partly substantiated by facts known to the residents of the city and by stories which he has told himself.

The man has as yet refused to tell where he resides, but it is thought he came from Kansas City. He came to Taylorville with the intention of spending the night and afterward, it is said, going on to Edinburg, where he hoped to claim a young woman of that village as his wife. While here he learned that the woman, who was said to have been Miss Julia Brown, had been married for some time and was living in Kentucky.

It is believed he became despondent upon hearing this and resolved to end his life. He retired to his room in the hotel, leaving a call for \$200 a clock in the morning. When the clerk went to the room at that hour he failed to get a response to his knock, and forcing open the door found Belmer lying on the bed in an unconscious condition.

Escaping gas told the story and a physician was notified. To day Belmer improved steadily in condition and probably will have entirely recovered within a day or two.

It has been learned that Belmer became acquainted with the young woman in Edinburg through a matrimonial agency and that a correspondence ensued. The woman evidently did not regard the matter as seriously as the man, as is evidenced by the marriage of the former.

Miss Scott was a well-to-do young milliner of Edinburg and had considerable property in her own name. Belmer had practically no money when he came to Taylorville, as he asked the clerk for a room costing not more than ten or fifteen cents when he applied at the hotel for a night's lodging. He was told that no room was to be had for such a sum and the matter was compromised by Belmer taking a twenty-five cent room.

Belmer admits he tried to end his life, but he refuses to give a good account of his past actions, his home and his occupation.

DEFIES AUTHORITIES

New York, Nov. 16.—Agents of the Clyde line steamer Cherokee, which had trouble with the Dominican government authorities on her last trip, declared to day the Cherokee will sail Wednesday on her regular schedule, stopping at Samana Bay, Monte Christi, Sanchez, Puerto Plata and Macoris.

Manuel De J. Galvan, consul general from San Domingo to New York, said to day: "If the Cherokee attempts to enter any of those ports gunboats will not parley with her this time. They will surely sink her."

THE W. C. T. U.

Cincinnati, Nov. 16.—The national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union held its session to day in Hillsboro, Ohio, where the society was founded in 1873. Many of the original crusaders still reside in Hillsboro. Among them is Mrs. Eliza Thompson, who led the crusade. As she is 83 years old and was unable to attend the convention, the convention went to her. The delegates returned to Cincinnati this afternoon.

"State Jubilee Night" was observed to night by the presidents of states having made a net gain in membership of 500 or over during the year. These included Michigan and Wisconsin in the middle west. National prize membership banners were presented. Michigan secured the prize for the highest increase in state membership of 1,200 members. The fourth district of Michigan secured the district prize. The prize for the largest per cent of increase in membership was awarded Idaho.

NATIONAL GRANGE.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Brigham to day addressed the National Grange, of which he was master for nine years. He urged farmers to take a firm stand against "tyranny of organized labor and organized capital." Both, he said, were threatening problems which the agricultural class alone could solve. His words were received with great enthusiasm. A resolution introduced and referred demanded compensation for rural mail route carriers which would equal that received by city mail carriers.

EXCHANGE GOOD WISHES.

Panama, Nov. 16.—Rear Admiral Walker, who is practically President Roosevelt's representative on the isthmus, and Consul General Mudge called at the palace this afternoon and in the name of the United States government paid their respects to members of the junta. Walker presented a letter from President Roosevelt and there were mutual exchanges of good wishes. Otherwise the visit was quite informal.

CUBAN BILL IS TAKEN UP

THE HOUSE WILL VOTE ON TREATY THURSDAY

Democratic Senators Cannot Agree on Program as to Canal Legislation—Other Washington News.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Danzell reported a resolution providing that the Cuban reciprocity bill should be considered to the exclusion of all other business until 4 o'clock Thursday, when a vote be taken without intervening motion.

Williams (Miss.), speaking for the minority, declared the rule to be the most drastic one ever introduced in the house, saying it shut off all rights to perfect the bill. Applause from the Democratic side greeted the statement that the bill tears down 150 schedules built up by Republicans.

The rule was adopted 176 to 155. The minority voted unanimously against the rule. Republicans voting against its adoption were W. A. Smith, Fordney, Loud, McMillan, Brooks and Hogg.

The house went into committee of the whole, Sherman (N. Y.) in the chair. Payne opened the debate, urging passage of the bill.

MINORITY REPORTS.

Two minority reports on the Cuban bill were filed in the house to day. One represents the views of Williams (Miss.), Swanston (Va.) and McClellan (N. Y.). It objects to the provision that no reduction of sugar duty be made during the life of the treaty, declaring one congress cannot bind the succeeding; also favors striking out the differential on refined sugar on the ground such action will benefit the consumer as against the so-called sugar trust.

The other minority report is signed by Cooper (Tex.). He condemns the treaty in toto, declaring that it "violates the tariff for revenue principle, because it deliberately lops off about \$3,000,000 of our annual revenue without benefit to the consumer and gives it to certain favored beneficiaries. Cooper also objects to the provision prohibiting the reduction of the sugar duty during the life of the treaty."

CORRESPONDENCE.

The president to day transmitted to the house correspondence and other official documents relating to the recent revolution on the isthmus of Panama as requested by the house resolution. The first is a cablegram notifying the United States consuls at Colon and Panama to keep the department informed of events. Then followed dispatches to and from consuls, orders to naval officers, recognition of Panama and all correspondence held by the navy department. One of the latter dispatches is to commanders of American vessels, instructing them to maintain force and uninterrupted transit across the isthmus and use armed force if necessary. Also instructions to Admiral Glass to prevent the landing of armed forces within fifty miles of Panama.

DEMOCRATIC SENATORS.

Democrat members of the senate caused over three hours to day, but were unable to get together on a program as to canal legislation. Four distinct propositions were submitted and many other suggestions were made informally, but no agreement could be reached and the caucus adjourned to meet again at the call of the chairman.

Several senators on leaving the caucus bitterly complained of the lack of harmony and compared the Democratic position with the attitude of the Republicans, who, they said, with twice as many representatives, had not a straggler, while hardly two Democrats were of the same opinion.

A resolution which was discussed at greatest length was offered by Carmack (Tenn.). It declared the sentiment of the Democrats to be that the present canal law should be put into operation by the president. The resolution declared the Spooner act to be the "present law" governing the authoritative course of the United States in regard to building the canal and held that under that act the president should proceed to build the canal on the Nicaragua and Costa Rica route.

Speeches were made for and against the proposition. It was apparent at the outset a motion of such radical character could not harmonize the minority.

Censure for the president for his alleged assistance of the Panama revolt, but pledging support if a canal treaty were negotiated with the new republic, was the purport of a resolution offered by Bacon as a substitute for the Carmack plan. This opposite extreme met immediate rejection. It was at this point some of the senators withdrew from the caucus.

DEFENDS SERVICE.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Quarantine General Humphrey in his annual report to the secretary of war, issued to day, defended the army transport service against charges made that it is a "monstrous luxury" and favors its continuance as a "luxury" for enlisted men. He says, after giving facts and figures, the service is unquestionably a very valuable and economical military convenience.

PORTS CLOSED.

The state department to day received notice from the Dominican government through the consul general in New York that it had closed certain ports during continuance of the insurrection. Minister Powell and Captain Briggs, commanding the Baltimore, will determine whether the blockade is really effective, and under no circumstances will the state department respect a paper blockade. The Dominican government or insurgents, whoever attempts to establish a blockade, must have ships present to make it effective. Officials have not the slightest fear the Dominican government will try to sink any regular United States liner so long as the Baltimore is in Dominican waters.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The president to day nominated Fred W. Wilson postmaster at Ottumwa, Iowa, and Alfred Schuyler postmaster at Mound City, Ill.

Representative Gaines (Tenn.) introduced a resolution to day proposing the following amendment to the constitution: "The president of the United States shall hold his office during one term of six years, and no person having been president, either by election or accession, shall be again eligible to that office."

Underwood (Ala.) introduced a resolution to day amending the constitution by repealing the fifteenth amendment. A similar resolution was introduced by Hardwick (Ga.), who also was a section two of the fourteenth amendment repealed.

M. Bunau Varilla, minister from Panama to the United States, announced to night J. P. Morgan & Co. had been appointed fiscal agents in the United States for the republic of Panama.

The United States supreme court to day decided the case of Jolin City, Mo., vs. Southwest Missouri Light company in favor of the city. The case involved the right of the city to erect light works of its own to be operated in competition with the company.

M. Jusserand, French ambassador, has advised Panama Minister Varilla that he will formally receive him to morrow as minister of the new republic.

MISSING PRIEST FOUND

Had Been Lured From Home Drugged and Robbed—Was Raving When Found

New York, Nov. 16.—Rev. Joseph Cirrington, pastor of the Italian Church of the Immaculate Conception in Williams Bridge, who disappeared from home under mysterious circumstances last Friday night, was found early to day raving wildly in Italian and is now in a hospital. The priest had incurred the enmity of Italians about Williams Bridge by a crusade against vice. Friday night two men called upon him, representing themselves as detectives, and asked him to accompany them to the station house. When outside the house, the priest says, the men robbed and drugged him. Upon regaining consciousness he found himself in a dark cellar with wrists bound. Owing to his mental condition no connected account of the priest's abduction could be obtained. Father Cirrington when he left the house had a gold-mounted ebony cane, valuable gold watch and chain and some money. When found to day all were gone.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The crowning event in the centennial anniversary of the historic New York Avenue Presbyterian church of this city occurred to night at a public meeting, which was addressed by President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay, who occupied the Lincoln pew during the meeting. Secretary Hay's address was devoted exclusively to the martyred president. Roosevelt in his address also spoke of Lincoln and referred to the success of efforts to better the condition of the people in the last century. He said every American should put forth his best effort to put down corruption in both private and public life. Speaking of Lincoln, he said he did not think there was "an expression, a speech of Lincoln, a word of Lincoln's, written or spoken, in which bitterness is shown to any man."

FOUGHT SIX ROUNDS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—Joe Chynski and Marvin Hart fought six rounds to a draw to night. It was a whirlwind fight from start to finish. Both were severely punished.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Clarence Forbes and "Kid" Herman, Chicago featherweights, fought six rounds to a draw to night.

Washington, Nov. 16.—"Kid" Sullivan, of Washington, to night easily defeated Joe Bernstein, of New York, in nine rounds of hard fighting.

GOVERNOR STOPS PRIZE FIGHT. Springfield, Nov. 16.—A prize fight between local pugilists to night was stopped by Governor Yates, who notified the sheriff if he was unable to prevent the fight militia would be called out.

LINCOLN BROTHERS SENTENCED.

Lincoln, Ill., Nov. 16.—William Russell was to day sentenced to three months in jail and Charles Treat and William Donovan to thirty days each on their plea of guilty of larceny at elections. They were also disfranchised for ten years.

ARE GAINING ON STRIKERS

MORE CARS BEING RUN IN CHICAGO

Police Quickly Put an End to Rioting—The Cars on Cottage Grove Ave. Will be Started Under Police Protection.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The City Railway company will to morrow resume traffic on the Cottage Grove avenue line under guard of 500 policemen. The Wentworth avenue line was operated to day under heavy guard and despite considerable interference five-minute service was maintained. Riots were frequent along the line, but the police charged on the crowds with such quickness and force that but one serious blockade was met with. That was when a teamster who blockaded the track refused to drive out. When police attempted to drag him from the seat the crowd grew ugly. Police moved against the mob and many persons were clubbed and a few policemen bruised by stones. A number of arrests were made and finally after considerable difficulty the mob was dispersed and the car moved on.

A lively fight occurred near the barns at Seventy-eighth and State streets to night when a wagon carrying provisions to men living in the barns was stopped by strikers. A crowd of nonunion men rushed around the wagon, quickly putting the crowd to flight. Stones were thrown and revolvers displayed, but no shots were fired. Several men sustained bruises and there were a few broken heads, but the fight did not last long enough for the police to make any arrests.

Public inconvenience from the strike became greater to night than ever before. A heavy rain and high wind drove many who heretofore walked home to seek transportation on already overburdened trains of the Illinois Central and elevated lines. The crush at the downtown stations of those roads was tremendous and it was the greatest difficulty railway employees prevented accidents in the rush.

John G. Mitchell, of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, and a heavy stockholder of the City railroad, expressed the opinion to night that the strike will get lost long. He said: "The union has taken up a position comparable to that of a highwayman who shoves a pistol to a man's head and demands that he do certain things. Under like threat the union demands arbitration. There can be no arbitration on the closed shop question. I believe the strike will be a short one and that public sympathy will be with the company."

Complying with a resolution adopted by the city council to night the mayor will to morrow select a committee to endeavor to induce the street car company and strikers to submit their differences to arbitration.

FEDERATION APPEALS TO YATES.

The Federation of Labor to night telegraphed Governor Yates, calling his attention to conditions existing here as a result of the street car strike, notifying him the strikers are ready to arbitrate differences with the company and appealing to him to use his good offices "to bring about arbitration and thus avert what threatens to be the most serious labor dispute that has ever confronted our nation."

Springfield, Nov. 16.—Governor Yates to night wired the Chicago Federation of Labor that he had no power to compel arbitration, but that he had asked the state board to renew their tender of services. He also telegraphed the state board now in Chicago in line with his promise to the federation.

NATIONAL GRANGE

FIRE LOSSES.

Cleveland, Nov. 16.—Fire early to day, believed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed the Holden avenue barns of the Cleveland Electric Street Railway company, causing a loss estimated at \$125,000. City firemen Robert Duffie, James Schwedt and Robert Reed were killed by falling walls and three others injured.

ON THE WAY TO ENGLAND.

Cherbourg, France, Nov. 16.—King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy arrived here this afternoon on their way to England. After receiving British naval officers belonging to the escorting fleet the king and queen embarked on the royal yacht Victoria and Albert. They leave here to morrow.

NO INJURY TO UNITED STATES.

Washington, Nov. 16.—It is stated that as a result of the call of Russian Minister Cassini upon Secretary Hay this government, in view of representations of the Russian government to it, on the subject of Manchuria, is confident events there so far as Russia can control them, will not operate against American trade.

ROBBED OF SILKS AND FURS.

Janeville, Wis., Nov. 16.—J. M. Postwick's dry goods store was robbed of its stock of furs and silks valued at \$15,000 between Saturday night and this morning.

YOUNG LADY KILLED

Miss Hennegar Found Murdered in a Pasture Near Her House.

Peoria, Nov. 16.—A message just received announces Miss May Hennegar, a prominent young lady of Bishop, who was supposed to have eloped, was found murdered in a pasture near her home. The body was horribly mutilated and half buried.

Miss Hennegar accompanied Fred Struble, a neighbor's son, to a supper and social given at a country school house a short distance from the girl's home Saturday evening. When she failed to return it was supposed the couple had eloped. All efforts of authorities to locate Struble's whereabouts have proven unavailing. The condition of the body indicated a desperate struggle.

CHINA AROUSED

Moscow, Nov. 16.—Russian military occupation of Mukden, Manchuria, has caused such tension and aroused such aggressive attitude on the part of China that the continued dispatch of troops to the far east is now said to be directed against China, despite the pacific turn of the Russo-Japanese dispute. Two hundred and fifty thousand troops were ordered to the far east when hostilities appeared imminent. They are now being continually drafted from the government of Moscow and nine surrounding provinces. With troops already in the far east this will give Russia an overwhelming force with which to overawe China.

FRAUD CHARGED

New York, Nov. 16.—Fraud and misrepresentation on the part of agents of the Vanderbilt and Oelrich interests in the estate of the late Charles L. Fair is charged by Mrs. Hannah E. Nelson, mother of the late Mrs. Fair, in a deposition to be filed to morrow in the supreme court by Bela D. Eisler, special commissioner appointed to take testimony of witnesses of the automobile accident by which Mr. and Mrs. Fair lost their lives near Paris. In her testimony she testified that after her husband's death she was induced to go to San Francisco, where agents of Mrs. Herman Oelrich and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., induced her to relinquish her claim to the \$8,000,000 estate by alleging fraudulently that they had cablegrams showing Mrs. Fair died instantly and that her husband survived her, which, if true, would destroy Mrs. Nelson's right to the estate. As a result, she says, she accepted \$125,000 to sign over agreements relinquishing her rights.

PRISONERS ESCAPE.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Four prisoners escaped from the Ohio penitentiary last night by going through the ventilator to the roof and then letting themselves to the ground with a rope. All were dressed in prison garb. They are Al Wood, 30, burglar; J. F. Ryan, 28, alias John Gallagher, burglar; Frank Hayden, 28, burglar, and Thomas Gallagher, burglar. No trace as yet has been found of them. They dropped to the ground on the roof directly in front of the warden's office.

BUTTER MAKING CONTEST.

St. Paul, Nov. 16.—The national butter making contest, which has been going on for the past year, has been concluded. Minnesota has again won the national championship, as she has twice before. E. T. Sondergaard, of Hutchinson, Minn., won first place; average for year, 96.75. John Sollic, of New Sweden, Minn., second; average 96.56. Minnesota not only won the two highest prizes, but had the best average.

STUDENT GUILTY OF PLAGIARISM.

Des Moines, Nov. 16.—John Booth, of Colorado, a student at Drake university, who won the state college oratorical contest last week, has been charged with plagiarism and has admitted the charge. Booth's oration was largely a reproduction from the chapter in "Patriots and Principles" called "The Value of Decisions." The plagiarism was discovered by a girl in the sophomore class.

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The Equitable Trust company was to day appointed receiver for the Hennegary company, publishers. Liabilities are not stated, but assets are put at \$100,000. Dispute with creditors over the validity of a contract is held responsible for the action taken. It is expected the receiver will satisfy the claims of creditors and place the company in better standing.

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD.

Lake, Minn., Nov. 16.—A man was arrested at Luverne to day on charge of forgery in setting up forged mortgages for \$5,000 on land in Washington county owned by Edward Walsh, of Stillwater.

FEDERATION OF LABOR

SESSION ENLIVENED BY SPIRITED DEBATE

Organization of Insurance Men and Industrial Depression the Subjects Discussed—Organizers for South and West.

Boston, Nov. 16.—Two spirited debates enlivened what would otherwise have been a dull session of the American Federation of Labor to day. The first was upon the question whether the federation should grant a charter to insurance agents of the country, and after a somewhat acrimonious discussion the matter was referred to the executive committee. This was regarded as defeat of the plan to organize and charter insurance agents.

The second debate was upon the subject of industrial depression. It was called forth by the report of the committee on the president's report endorsing Gompers' statement that a period of industrial depression was coming. Several delegates expressed the opinion that no depression was probable, but socialist delegates insisted that the president's forecast was true. They contended possible preventive was not only organization on trades union lines but also formation of a political organization by labor workers.

Fifty or more resolutions were disposed of during the day, many calling for the appointment of organizers for western and southern states being referred to the executive council with power to act. Several southern delegates got into the debate upon the question of organization in the south which was brought into discussion by the desire of Delegate Clay, a negro member from North Carolina, to have an organizer sent south to form negroes into unions.

FOR BRIBERY

Omaha, Nov. 16.—The federal grand jury this afternoon indicted United States Senator Charles H. Dietrich and Postmaster Jacob Fisher, of Hastings, Neb., charging them with conspiracy and bribery in connection with the appointment of Fisher as postmaster. The indictment against Senator Dietrich charges that he accepted money and property in consideration of his recommending Fisher for appointment as postmaster at Hastings. The incident against Fisher charges him with making an agreement with Dietrich by which the former was to pay in property and money \$1,300 for securing Fisher the appointment. Evidence was presented to show Fisher bought the postoffice fixtures from the Grand Army post at Hastings of the value of \$300 and later turned the property over to Dietrich, to whose building it was removed and to whom was paid rental by the government. In addition to turning over this property, it is charged, Fisher paid the senator \$800 cash.

This indictment is said to be the first ever returned against a United States senator on a charge of this nature and caused intense excitement in government circles in Omaha and adjoining towns when it became public. Just what action will be taken, if any, to apprehend Dietrich could not be learned to night.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Senator Dietrich and Editor Rosewater of the Omaha Bee have arrived in this city and to night all inquiries as to the indictment of the senator were referred to Rosewater, who declared the indictments were the result of a political quarrel. Rosewater asserted Dietrich had a good defense and added that he and the senator had come to Washington at this time to bring about the removal of District Attorney Sommers. He said they had already been to the white house on this mission. Rosewater declared Sommers had pushed the charges against Dietrich for the reason that they were politically antagonistic.

BODY CUT IN TWAIN.

Litchfield, Ill., Nov. 16.—Oliver C. Jones, whose home is said to be in Mattoon, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon at Witt, a small station on the Big Four east of this city.

Mr. Jones was head brakeman on an extra freight. The freight backed on to a siding at Witt. Jones attempted to make a coupling with a freight car. In some manner unexplained he was struck near the waist by a draw bar and his body was cut completely in twain.

His death was instantaneous. His remains were brought to this city and taken to a local undertaking establishment. He was 28 years old. The body was shipped to his relatives to day.

THIEVES' GOOD Haul.

Janeville, Wis., Nov. 16.—J. M. Postwick's dry goods store was robbed of \$15,000 worth of furs and fine silks between Sunday night and Monday morning. Every fur in the store was taken. That experts in silks did the job is evidenced from the fact that the stock was sorted over and nothing but the best taken. The poorer grades were strewn about the floor. There is no clue to the thieves.

JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD

Time of departure of trains:
GOING NORTH.

C. P. & St. L.	7:30 am
Peoria, daily	7:30 am
Peoria, ex. Sunday	1:30 pm
C. P. & St. L., Sunday only	1:30 pm
Peoria, accommodation freight	1:30 pm
C. & A.	1:30 pm
Chicago-Peoria	1:30 pm
Chicago, ex. Sunday	1:30 pm
Chicago-Peoria	1:30 pm
for Chicago	1:30 pm

SOUTH AND WEST.

J. & St. L.	7:30 am
for St. Louis	7:30 am
C. & A.	7:30 pm
for Kansas City	10:45 am
for Kansas City and St. Louis	11:45 am
for Kansas City	11:45 am
for St. Louis, daily	1:30 pm
for St. Louis, ex. Sunday	1:30 pm
for Roadhouse, ex. Sunday	1:30 pm

GOING WEST.

Wabash-	
for Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas	7:30 am
City	7:30 am
for Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas	7:30 pm
City	7:30 pm
Decatur accommodation	10:45 am
Kansas City mail	10:45 am

GOING EAST.

Wabash-	
for Toledo	6:30 am
for Toledo	6:30 am
Decatur accommodation	10:45 am
Buffalo mail	10:45 am
Time of arrival of trains	1:30 am

FROM NORTH.

C. P. & St. L., daily	11:05 am
C. P. & St. L., ex. Sunday	6:55 pm
C. P. & St. L., Sunday only	8:00 pm
C. P. & St. L., accommodation	8:00 pm
C. P. & St. L., Sunday only	8:00 pm

FROM SOUTH.

J. & St. L.	11:00 am
C. & A., ex. Sunday	11:00 am
C. & A., ex. Sunday	11:00 am
C. & A., ex. Sunday	11:00 am
C. & A., Sunday only	11:00 pm

First car leaves barn at 4:15 a. m. and every fifteen minutes afterward until 10:30 p. m.
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City and County

Abner Thompson was a Chicago visitor Sunday.

W. D. Hitt, of Merritt, was a Sunday visitor in the city.

A. Rockwood, of Bluffs, was a Sunday visitor in the city.

J. C. Deatherage, of Waverly, spent Monday here on business.

White Lily flour makes good bread; ask for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Nance, of Petersburg, were in the city yesterday.

George Beekman, of Pisgah, spent Monday on business in the city.

W. H. Spears, of Tallula, transacted business in the city Monday.

Sinclair Russell, of Woodson, was in the city on business Monday.

U. J. Sinclair, of Ashland, transacted business in the city Monday.

Edgar Whitlock, of Nortonville, was here on business interests Monday.

W. L. Simpson, the Wabash agent, is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Anne Hinrichsen, of Alexander, was a Monday visitor in the city.

Feed of all kinds at Brook mill.

Lee Shelton, of Island Grove, was a Monday business visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Randolph, of Macomb, were Sunday visitors in the city.

Rev. J. W. Eckman, of Decatur, was here on business interests Monday.

Dr. Charles E. Scott was in Murfreesboro on professional business yesterday.

D. D. M. Wagner, of Lewistown, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

If you want a stove go to Brady Bros. and you'll save time, money and worry.

George Lewis, of Mercedosa, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

V. T. O'Donald, claim agent of the Wabash, was a Monday business visitor in the city.

Miss Laura Fox, of Sinclair, is visiting her friend, Miss Mamie Crouse, in this city.

Arthur Scott left yesterday afternoon for Springfield to visit his brother, J. E. Scott.

S. L. Perry and Henry Keemer went to the south part of the county yesterday to hunt for quails.

E. J. Henderson and C. W. Rudisill went to Springfield Monday to attend the Odd Fellows' convention.

Mrs. J. F. Hatch and daughter, Miss Ethel Hatch, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Capps.

You ought to have a Florence Hot Blast stove. See Brady Bros. about it.

Mrs. H. H. Smith, of Pontiac, is expected in the city to night to visit her parents, Hon. and Mrs. W. S. Latron.

We keep open every night this week to demonstrate the Twentieth Century range. Don't miss it. Sutter & Longman.

Keith Montgomery, of the well known firm of Montgomery & Depe, is renewing acquaintances in Astoria for a few days.

L. Frank went to Chicago yesterday on a purchasing expedition for the large dry good store in the Hockenhull building.

Miss Mary Turner, of Ashland, is visiting her cousins, Mrs. Charles L. Mathis and Mrs. George Douglas and families in this city.

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J. C. Greer, a livery man of Virginia, was in the city yesterday shaking hands with Jacksonville friends, while on his way to St. Louis.

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Trade Palace, in anticipation of increasing trade.

If you order your stove or range of Brady Bros. you will not have to wait. Men and wagons going all the time. Deliveries made within an hour after sales.

Mrs. Roland Green, of Mexico, Mo., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gray on South Clay avenue.

J. Winston has returned to Chandler, after a short visit at the home of H. J. Kennedy.

It tastes much like a 10c cigar, but Pyatt's Best only costs you 5c. For sale by 100 dealers in this city.

J. J. McHugh, of Decatur, one of the Wabash specials, was here on business interests yesterday.

Don't suffer with a cough when Vickery & Merriam's pure horehound candy will cure you.

Mrs. George Tremblett and daughter, Miss Elsie, returned Monday from a short visit in Kansas City.

Ask your grocer for White Lily flour. It will please you.

Mrs. Ellen Thorpe has returned to Scott county, after a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hall.

Miss Lucille Gaines arrived from St. Louis Monday evening to attend the funeral of her grandfather, William Barry.

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Mrs. S. D. Bartlett, of Citronelle, Ala., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bartlett, returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Deibert, of Glen Carbon, have returned to their home, after a few days' visit with their son at the School for the Deaf.

Nothing better than a Florence Hot Blast; you ought to see them burn soft coal like hard coal at Brady Bros.

The ladies of Grace church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Capps, 854 West College avenue, to sew for the bazar.

The Ladies' Home Journal booth will be one of the principal attractions at the State Street church bazar Dec. 17th.

Mrs. Libbie Martin went to Chicago Saturday to visit her son Geo., who is there studying at the Chicago university. The young man has already shown his ability by winning an important prize, and is striving for two more. He is pleasantly situated and is winning good opinions among those with whom he comes in contact.

The Florence Hot Blast, Cole's base burner, sheet iron stoves, oil heaters, etc., etc., in endless variety at Brady Bros.

A few weeks ago one would have thought the bulk of the livestock was in, but Monday there were 33,000 hogs, 40,000 cattle and 50,000 sheep. Think of 123,000 animals on the market at once. Cattle broke 10 to 25c; sheep were weak and hogs steady. Such figures are almost bewildering and cause one to reflect on the greatness of this country and its immense possibilities. In view of the great runs, prices were maintained fairly well.

E. W. Flannigan, traveling passenger agent of the J. & St. L. system, returned Monday from a two weeks' outing spent in company with the American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents, who took an extensive trip through the south, some of them going to Cuba. In addition to attending the annual convention in New Orleans the party visited Memphis, Birmingham, Pensacola and a number of other prominent southern cities. They were extended every courtesy wherever a stop was made and the trip was a most delightful one in every particular. There were about 400 in the party, which is about half of the membership of the association. The party traveled in a special train and the starting point was Chicago.

DONATION DAY

At Old Ladies' Home on Grove Street.

Thursday of this week the management of the old ladies' home on Grove street have set aside as donation day, and at that time they invite all who are kindly disposed to bring to the home such articles as they are willing to spare for the use of the institution. It would seem almost superfluous to call attention to the worth and merit of this enterprise. The kind people who have it in hand are laboring for those who are practically homeless in old age and are striving to obey the dictates of Him who promised the richest rewards to those who favored His little ones. It should be the delight of all who are in position to do so to take something of value to the home on the day mentioned and regard it as a privilege to be able to do it. None of us know how soon we may need the aid of those of our fellow men in better circumstances than ourselves and it should be an easy matter to find the necessary means for maintaining this worthy establishment.

1,300 yards of English flannel-ettes, fancy patterns, 15c value; at Frank's dry goods store this week. Their advertisement, on the 4th page explains numerous bargains on sale. Everybody reads it.

TO ADDRESS INSTITUTE.

Charles Rowe left Monday afternoon for Waterloo, in Monroe county, where he will speak before the farmers' institute on the subjects of "Corn" and "Hog Raising." He will go from Waterloo to Fulton county on a similar mission.

Mr. Rowe is well known as a corn expert and recently received an invitation from the Iowa agricultural college to act as one of the corn judges during the midwinter corn contest, and also to act as an instructor during the special corn course offered in January.

Mr. Rowe expects to accept the invitation, which is indeed a high compliment to his ability as a corn expert.

Thanksgiving table linens can be bought this week at our special sale at liberal reduction from regular prices; O. K. Store.

CENTENARY CHURCH.

An unusual spirit is manifesting itself in the life of Centenary church that is most gratifying to both pastor and people. Large congregations are the rule and after the evening service an invitation is extended to any who may desire to declare themselves for Christ. Two weeks ago two persons accepted the invitation and last Sunday evening one came forward to the altar and was converted. Since the beginning of the conference year twenty-two persons have been received into the church membership, making a total addition to the church fellowship of twenty-five.

Such results are evidences of practical Christianity.

Linen sale this week; O. K. Store

WEST JACKSONVILLE.

Regular services for Sunday, Nov. 22. Revival meetings will begin at Ebenezer Nov. 22. The people of the community are cordially invited to attend these special meetings.

Epworth league literary and social meeting at the home of Chas. Black Friday evening, Nov. 20.

A very pleasant entertainment was given at the home of E. Blackburn Thursday evening, last. The following persons took part: Misses Helen and Estella Shuff; Claude Grove, Helen Masters; C. A. Rowe; Clara Haddon; Francis Blackburn, Mrs. C. F. Baker, Elizabeth Blackburn. The entertainment was greatly enjoyed by all present and the people of the community desire especially to thank Miss Helen Shuff for her singing, and Miss Estella Shuff for her reading and reciting. Both young ladies do work of a high order. Miss Elizabeth Blackburn planned the entertainment. A small admission fee was charged and quite a nice sum was realized. The proceeds go for parsonage improvement.

Sale of Thanksgiving table linens at low prices this week. O. K. Store.

FAITH AND FACT.

Faith is one thing and fact is another. It sometimes takes an amount of faith to produce one fact. Years of earnest work and faith have produced one fact about medicine that is deserving of mention here. If people who are troubled with general weakness through overwork, dissipation or exposure can get a remedy that will make rich red blood from the food they eat, their return to health is assured. Good blood is the life of the body as well as the nerves. Weak, sickly, pale people, who suffer with indigestion, dyspepsia, sick head, loss of strength and ambition, nervous, dizzy spells and a weary tired, can be cured sound and well with Dr. Cassell's Food and Blood Purifier. Sold by druggists for 50c per box, or three boxes for \$1.50. This tonic acts in common sense way, curing disease by giving strength to resist it. Lee P. Alcott, druggist.

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Did You Ever Hear of the Like? All \$4.50 and \$5.00 Skirt values, \$3.48
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To give the best \$1.00 Petticoat ever offered, we place on sale for this week our \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2 Skirts for \$1.00. They include mercerized satteen, morine and near silk. You should never miss such an opportunity. Yes, we are still giving trading stamps.

THIS WEEK ONLY.

The Big Store
CASH.

NOTICE

To the Pupils and Teachers of the First Ward.

The Jefferson school building will be closed until Wednesday on account of repairs to the heating apparatus. The teachers will please report at my office at 9 a. m. Monday.

E. E. Webster,
Superintendent.

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Landers, Keels & Co.

Winter Underwear

These balmy days will not continue long and you will soon need heavy underwear. Our stock is a very comprehensive one and embraces very satisfactory makes at very satisfactory prices.

A. WEIHL

Suitings

It's an old story to talk of our suitings, but the offerings are so elegant that enthusiasm on the subject is perfectly allowable. We have the goods, the cutters and the tailors, and invite inspection from men needing stylish clothing.

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Nothing could more completely display the utterly contemptible course and animus of the Democratic press than the comments it utters on the course of the administration in the Panama controversy. This government is largely represented by citizens and extensive interests in that part of the world and should it fail to protect them as it is now doing, a howl would at once go up from the Democratic press that the government was neglecting its citizens and leaving them to the mercy of misguided and dangerous people. A gigantic enterprise is contemplated and steps have been taken to secure its completion in the interests of the people of the whole country, and especially of the west and south, and because our president and his advisers are doing their best to conserve the interests of the country they are subject to adverse criticism. It simply shows the sore straits to which the Democracy is reduced for something to use in the absence of an issue.

DETAIL GRIEVANCES TO GOVERNOR YATES.

Springfield, Nov. 16.—Governor Yates has received a voluminous letter from M. C. Buckley, president of the Chicago street railway men's union, bearing on the present strike in Chicago. The letter was referred to J. McCann Davis, secretary of the state board of arbitration, who left for Chicago to attend a meeting of the full board, at which time a letter will be submitted by E. R. Bliss, attorney for the street railway company. President Buckley's letter to the governor details the grievances of the street railway employees and states that their interests have been ignored. It referred to the renewal of the requests of the men on Sept. 30, when the old agreement expired, for a change of the working conditions and the 28 cents an hour, and says that requests for shorter hours were ignored. The letter concludes with the declaration that the union is willing to arbitrate.

In explaining conditions under which the railroad men work, the letter says, in part: "John Johnson, the motorman who was murdered in the barns of the company during the recent holdup, was at that time asleep on a bench. He had first reported for duty at 5 a. m. on the previous day. He remained in the barn until 2 p. m., waiting to get a run, and, understand, he was not paid for any of this time that he waited. At 2 p. m. he was given a run which finished at 1:40 a. m. He was then notified, as arrangements are scheduled, to again leave the barn that same morning at 4:45. The only rest, of course, he would get would be the couple of hours that he would sleep upon the bench."

"An investigation of the schedule will show you cases of men that put in eighteen and nineteen hours of time to get in a day's work of ten hours. We are asking a modification of these conditions. We have asked nothing unreasonable. We are willing to work for a ten-hour day, within a reasonable length of time."

DO NOT ASK "CLOSED SHOP."
"Now, there is an impression abroad that this is a fight for what some call the 'closed shop,' or strictly unionizing of the plant. This is not true. The question of unionizing the plant doesn't enter into this contest. We have requested in our demands that all men in the train service become members of the union, but we have stood ready at all times to modify that question if proper agreement could be made that would protect the membership of our union."

"Our reason for asking this is self-preservation, for since the formation of our organization we have been antagonized and opposed. Men when being hired have been notified not to join our union. Spies have been employed to report the actions of our meetings. Non-union men have been encouraged to antagonize and oppose our organization whenever the opportunity presented itself. What we are seeking is some clause in an agreement that will protect our membership against this unfair discrimination. All we desire is the same treatment that the trainmen on the north and west sides are receiving; harmony prevails there. If the same working conditions and agreement are given us that are given by the north and west side companies, we are perfectly satisfied."

"As I stated, we spent some six weeks' time conferring back and forth, pleading for a consideration of our cases. When that failed, we submitted propositions for arbitration, and asked that that arbitration be

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Aside from the pleasure of eating seasonal fruits before beginning the first meal of the day, this custom has undoubtedly arisen from the well known fact that nearly all fruit and more particularly plums and PRUNES contain natural laxative principles which act directly on the stomach and bowels.

Constipation, that dread and troublesome complaint which is undoubtedly the basic cause of nine-tenths of the dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, etc., so prevalent among our people to-day, and which, if neglected, surely leads to more complicated and serious organic diseases, can surely be prevented, and when not too far advanced can be absolutely cured by the judicious use of the modern laxative and cathartic California Prune Wafers.

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open to the public and press, so that if we were unfair, the entire committee would know it. To these propositions we received no answer, but the same tactics of delay were practiced as before.

COMPANY DECLINES TO ARBITRATE.

"We then offered to submit our case to the state board of arbitration. The board first offered to act as mediator, and to have both sides appear before it, with the hope of having us reach, in their presence, an understanding. This was accepted by our organization, but refused by the company. The state board of arbitration then, in accordance with the state law, offered their services as arbitrators. This we agreed to and stood ready to continue our work and leave the decision to the state board. This was also rejected by the company."

"I assure you, on behalf of the organization that I represent, that we are still ready to abide by the laws of the state of Illinois, and submit our matters to arbitration."

"The above is briefly our case. Any further information that you would desire, we are ready at any and all times to submit to you. Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) "M. C. Buckley."

"President of Division 260 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Employees of America."

CHICAGO PRESS VS. THE BIBLE

Greenville Advocate: Several of the Chicago newspapers, failing to find anything else mean to say of Governor Yates, have attempted to ridicule his use of the expression "how the knee" in his recent Thanksgiving proclamation. They are advising Governor Yates that the people of this country "bend" the knee and do not "bow" it.

The criticism is ill-advised and displays their ignorance of the Scriptures. In the Bible, which must be conceded the standard of literature as well as of right-living, the expression "bow the knee" is used repeatedly. For instance, it may be found in Romans 14:11; Isaiah 45:23, and Philippians 2:10.

However, it is not strange that some of the Chicago trust newspapers do not understand when Governor Yates quotes from the Bible.

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REMITTING A FINE.

Sepator Dubois of Idaho during the days when he was practicing law in Boise City was on a certain occasion sternly reprimanded by the judge of a court in that city because of alleged contempt of court and in addition was fined in the sum of \$50. The next day, according to a custom followed in the Idaho courts, the judge called upon Mr. Dubois to occupy the bench for him during the transaction of some comparatively unimportant business. After the judge's departure from the court room Mr. Dubois exhibited an instance of that remarkable presence of mind for which he has ever been noted. The future senator said to the clerk of the court: "Turning to the record of this court for yesterday, Mr. Clerk, you will observe recorded a fine of \$50 against one Frederick T. Dubois. You will kindly make a note to the effect that such fine has been remitted by order of the court."—Kansas City Journal.

A Triple Beam Searchlight.

For use in lighthouses a new form of combination searchlight has been designed and constructed in Berlin. This throws three beams of light at the same time from the top of the tower. This Siemens-Schuckert searchlight has three arc lights, reflecting mirrors and projector regulating devices 120 degrees apart, all operated automatically. The carbons of the arc lamps are fed automatically, and electric motors are used for turning the three searchlights, while a fourth searchlight is mounted upon the top, this working entirely independently of the other three and moving in any direction desired. This new form of electric flash light has been installed in the lighthouse tower at Helgoland.

The three searchlights mounted on the lower revolving platform 120 degrees apart have mirrors twenty-nine inches in diameter. The platform revolves at the rate of four revolutions per minute.—Cassier's Magazine.

DEATHS.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 16.—Henry J. Rosecrans, banker and stockman and well known in the west, is dead, aged 65. He was born in Walworth county, Wisconsin, and was a member of the Wisconsin volunteers in the civil war.

Charles M. Sulter, grand secretary and treasurer of the National Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, is dead, aged 40.

SAN DOMINGO REVOLUTION.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Nov. 16.—Advices received here state that rebels are sweeping victoriously across San Domingo and will unite on a siege of San Domingo city. Surrender of that town is said to be imminent.

CUBA'S BUDGET.

Havana, Nov. 16.—President Palma transmitted to congress to day the budget for 1904. Income is estimated at \$15,839,600 and expenses at \$17,224,000.

HATCH'S BRIGHT IDEA.

Plan Suggested by Him Adopted Successfully by a Large Concern.

There are few retail druggists who have better ideas as to how to successfully introduce a proprietary preparation than Hatch, one of the best known business men in Jacksonville.

When the Dr. Howard company talked with them in regard to introducing their Specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, advised them to sell at the popular price of 25 cents. They told them that they could sell ten bottles at this price, where they could sell one at 50 cents and the result has proven their business judgment. The sales on this now famous Specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, have been so remarkably large that they have decided to make the price 25 cents in the future; not diminishing the amount of medicine that they put in each package, (60 doses, a month's treatment) Dr. Howard's Specific is sold under their absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure constipation, dyspepsia, and all forms of liver trouble.

If you do not feel that the Specific has done you great good, take back the empty bottle to Hatch and they will return your money without any question. This offer shows their belief that Dr. Howard's Specific is a medicine that cures.

SOMEBODY SICK IN YOUR HOUSE?

If there is, you no doubt want the very best of medicine that you can get. If you bring your doctor's prescription to our store it will be filled from the purest, freshest, highest quality drugs obtainable. It will be compounded by a thoroughly experienced, expert pharmacist. The price will be as low as it is possible to put it, taking quality of drugs and standard of work into consideration.

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In order to quickly reduce our large stock of Furs we offer
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15c yard wide Eclipse Flannelettes 10c

A price that has never before been quoted on a cloth of this character, but we bought them at an extremely low price and we propose to sell them on the same basis.
1300 yds. Double Fold Fancy Flannelettes, choice fancy patterns and designs for sacques and house gowns, the best bargain of the season 10c

50c Cotton Blankets 39c pair.

10x4 cotton blankets in grey and tan color; always sold at 50c. Special value at39c

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns \$1.00

made of fine material, perfect fitting, full cut, fancy hemstitched, fancy yoke, an exceptional value at. 1.00

Hand Made Shawls \$2.50

The popular Shetland wool shawls, square, large size, knotted or chain stitch fringe, cream, white or black; hand knit or crocheted2.50

City and County

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Murgatroyd, Monday morning, a son. Baled hay and straw, corn, oats and mill feed at Brook mill.

W. S. Cannon and Herbert Weatherfield were Sunday visitors in Concord.

C. G. Rutledge, of the Ayers National bank, is making a brief visit in Glasgow, Mo.

Whitcomb Riley will be at the Grand opera house to night.

"An Orphan's Prayer" has been secured for a Thanksgiving matinee performance at the Grand.

Dr. Trapp and wife, who have been visiting in the city for several weeks, left Monday morning for Lincoln.

We keep open every night this week to demonstrate the Twentieth Century range. Don't miss it. Sutter & Loneragan.

Rev. M. A. Hewes was a guest at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hall yesterday, while enroute from Carrollton to Quincy.

Mrs. F. J. Adams, who has been traveling with her husband in Wisconsin for several weeks, has returned, after a very pleasant trip.

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Messrs. Rufus Davis and John Newman, of Griggsville, spent Sunday in Jacksonville and visited at the home of Rev. N. English on East College avenue.

The Garment Workers' local 198, will give a grand dance at Piepenberg's hall Tuesday even'g, Nov. 17.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tunison have returned to Jacksonville after an extended absence. Most of the time was spent at Lake Bluff, but they are just back from California.

Mrs. John Reeve went to Springfield Monday morning to attend the meeting of the state lodge of Rebekahs. Mrs. Reeve is a member of the executive board.

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A small taste of winter was experienced Monday afternoon and the weather bureau said look out for more. A little snow, lots of wind and chilliness generally was the sum of the weather in the afternoon.

Let us have your order for stove-pipe, elbows, coal hods, stove boards, oil cloth rugs; in fact, everything that belongs to a stove. Our prices are right. Brady Bros.

Miss Emma Wharton sang at both the morning and evening services at the Christian church in Winchester Sunday and her singing was much appreciated. Rev. W. W. Wharton is the pastor of the church and is enjoying a successful ministry.

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J. P. Ball is at work moving the Benson paint shop on South Sandy street, a short distance north of its present position. The building was recently found to be resting on the Benson lot and sixteen inches of the Joyce lot, which is south of it.

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If you order your stove or range of Brady Bros. you will not have to wait. Men and wagons going all the time. Deliveries made within an hour after purchase.

The Ladies' Sewing society of the First Baptist church will hold an all

day meeting at the church Wednesday.

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Miss Elsie Layman will return to her duties at the Macomb State Normal school this morning, after a short visit with her parents here.

James Groves has purchased the lunch room in the Ayers block known as the "Dairy Lunch," and is having the same refitted and cleaned preparatory to opening for business some day this week. Every convenience will be added to make an up-to-date lunch room, and everything will be new and fresh when ready again for business.

Read the O. K. store ad; page 5

COURT OF HONOR.

Athens district Court of Honor, No. 30, gave a most successful benefit entertainment Monday evening for member Michael Casey, who for weeks has been ill at the hospital. Fred Schoppe was chairman of the benefit committee and R. W. Dods-worth acted as clerk. The program was as follows:

Overture—Illinois Central hospital orchestra.

Instrumental selection—Miss Mabel Jones.

Song: "The Fatal Rose of Red"—Edward Swaberg.

Instrumental music—Miss Lottie Mays.

Solo—Master Leland Crum.

Graphophone selections—Miss Mabel Jones.

Vocal solo—Miss Nellie Murray.

Piano solo—Miss Henrietta Murray.

Song: "Sweet Bye and Bye"—Edward Davenport.

Trombone solo—Charles Crum.

Frog dance—Terrence Sloan.

Song: "I can't stand to see my Baby Loose"—Edward Swaberg.

Graphophone selections—H. C. Jones.

Song—Edward Davenport.

Selection, two-step—Illinois Central hospital orchestra.

For best Grades of coal call Bell phone 148 or 1844.

C. E. M'DOUGALL.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The pork and bean banquet Thursday night will be one of the most interesting events of the year. Already a large number have bought tickets and by Thursday a large number will no doubt be sold. W. E. Edmonds, former general secretary, but now of Springfield, will be present and respond to a toast. Dr. L. A. Reed will act as toast master in his usual happy way, and that means much for the success of the banquet.

The physical director has organized the juniors into a military organization for a portion of their gymnasium work, and it is increasing the attendance in a larger way than ever before. Over forty are enrolled and meet Monday and Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings.

The Debating club will meet Thursday night and the question for debate is: "Resolved, that good citizenship calls for disregard of party allegiance in city elections." The officers of the club are: President, T. V. Hopper; vice president, Herbert Smith; secretary, Lynn Pratt, and Fred Decker, Everett Martin and Dr. L. A. Reed, the cabinet.

Mens 75c and \$1.00 flannel night robes 39c at Seebergers.

RILEY TO NIGHT.

James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier poet, humorist and dialect reader, whose poems are known to all, will be heard to night at the Grand opera house. Get your seats early to day.

Daily Journal, 10c per week.

Court House News

CIRCUIT COURT.

LAW.

Bridget Gaul, administratrix, etc., vs. Wabash road; trespass on case. Demurrer to declaration overruled.

CHANCERY.

Michael Kenney, executor, vs. H. G. Keplinger, administrator; from appellate court. Motion by complainant for rule on defendant, H. G. Keplinger, to show cause why he should not be attached for contempt.

George Eberhardt vs. L. A. Funk et al; bill. Default of all defendants and cause referred.

Mary N. Brunk vs. Norah Harvey et al; bill. B. A. VanWinkle appointed guardian ad litem for infant defendants and deficit of adult defendants and cause referred to master.

F. L. Sharpe & Co. vs. James A. Eador et al; bill. Suit dismissed by complainant.

David Tuke et al vs. Herbert Watson et al; partition. Master's report approved and decree for partition appointing commissioners.

PROBATE COURT.

Guardianship of minor children of Charles L. Brown, deceased. Inventory approved.

Estate of J. T. Walsh, deceased. Petition of Nellie Walsh for letters testamentary. Allowed.

Estate of Charles Bracewell, deceased. Petition of Lucy F. Bracewell for letters testamentary. Petition heard and allowed.

Estate of Henry Cocking, deceased. Petition of Sarah Cocking for letters testamentary. Allowed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. D. Turner to John Baumgartner, part nw. 1/4 sw. 1/4 11-16-9; \$2,100.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

E. L. Martin, Jacksonville; Mabel Crouse, Jacksonville.

15 per cent reduction on fur scarfs at Frank's dry goods store this week to reduce stock; 100 scarfs to select from.

CHEAPER AT HOME.

The Journal has frequently called the attention of its readers to the fact that it pays to patronize our home dealers and this is fully demonstrated by the following. A certain New York trustee is advertising in full page ads in all the leading magazines for December that he has only 52 sets of a certain edition of Shakespeare to be disposed of, and that while they last they can be had at the very low price of \$6.50—50c down and \$1.00 a month for six months. As a matter of fact, the entire proceeds of the 52 sets advertised at this price would not pay for the ad in one of the magazines he uses, and in all of them the cost of advertising alone would be many times the entire receipts from the sale of 52 sets.

The reporter is informed that the same set of books can be had of one of our local dealers for \$2.50; a saving of \$4.00 on each set; but, as Barnum said, "The American people like to be humbugged," and in this case it is easy to see who pays for this expensive advertising.

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SEEKS INFORMATION

Dr. A. B. Morey received a telegram Monday from persons in Edwardsville asking for information in regard to Miss Josephine Johnson, who is supposed to be in this city. Her father dropped dead in Edwardsville Monday and the only known relative was his daughter, who was last heard from in this city. Dr. Morey could not locate Miss Johnson yesterday and any information in regard to her would be gladly received by him.

In the Springfield State Journal of yesterday appeared the following item, which may refer to the same family:

"Medora, Nov. 13.—An unknown insane man, armed with a butcher knife, made an attempt yesterday morning to exterminate the household of Presley Arbuckle, colored, near Piasa. Arbuckle and his family were awakened at an early hour by an attack on their residence and when they made an investigation they were confronted by a stranger, who spoke incoherently.

With the butcher knife in his hand he attempted to kill the woman and children, who ran away, making their escape. Arbuckle, grappling with the man, disarmed him and held him a prisoner for the officers of Shipman township.

At Shipman a medical commission declared the man insane. He stated to the authorities that his name is Johnson and that his home is in Edwardsville. The officers both at Alton and Edwardsville have been notified."

Napkins, lunch cloths, table linens, tray cloths, all reduced. O. K. STORE

CHAMINADE CLUB.

The Chaminaide Music club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Hargrove on South Church street. There was a good attendance of members and an interesting Shakespearean program was rendered as follows:

Overture—Merry Wives of Windsor.....Nicola

a. Who Is Sylvia? (Two Gentlemen of Verona).....Schubert

b. Take, O Take Those Lips Away (Measure for Measure).....Mrs. Beach

Miss Dewees.....Parker

a. A Poor Soul Set Sighing (Othello).....Parker

b. Tell Me Where in Fancy Bred (Merchant of Venice).....R. de Koven

Miss Wharton.....Edward German

a. Come Away Death (Twelfth Night).....Parker

b. Oh, Mistress Mine (Twelfth Night).....R. de Koven

Miss Shuff.....Parker

a. It Was a Lover and His Lass (As You Like It).....R. de Koven

b. So Sweet a Kiss (Love's Labor Lost).....R. de Koven

Mrs. Johnson.....Gounod

Piano selections (Romeo and Juliet).....Miss Luken

a. Where the Bee Sucks (The Tempest).....R. de Koven

b. Orpheus and His Lute (Henry VIII).....Parker

c. Hark! Hark! the Lark (Cymbeline).....Schubert

Miss Hayden.....Rubenstein

Overture—Antony and Cleopatra.....Mrs. Hargrove and Mrs. Rubenstein

New beautiful designs in table damasks and napkins to match at special prices. O. K. Store.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Amanda Holland entertained at a birthday party Monday evening, given in honor of Sylvester Arbuckle at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Naul on South Clay avenue. Those present were Mr. Mann, of Springfield; Albert Rice, Miss Lida Brist, Ina Tate and D. Washington.

DIED FROM ITS INJURIES.

The horse belonging to Bart Smith, which was injured in an accident last Thursday evening, died Monday afternoon. Mr. Smith's team collided with a horse and buggy driven by Mr. Mapes and the buggy shaft penetrated the breast of one of Mr. Smith's horses, from the effects of which it died.

MISSIONARY SOCIAL UNION.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Missionary Social union will be held in the lecture room of the Congregational church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A very interesting program has been prepared as follows:

Hymn.

Scripture reading by Mrs. W. H. King.

Prayer.

Reading of minutes.

Roll call.

Solo by Miss Marie Finney.

Address by Miss Blackburn, missionary in Bulgaria.

Solo by Miss Striker.

Address by Dr. Jane Sherzer—"Missionary Work in Turkey and Egypt."

Report of nominating committee.

Chain of prayer.

Closing hymn.

Social hour.

MAY LOSE HER MIND.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 16.—It is feared that Mrs. Lester Leland Myrick of "The Governor's Son" company may lose her mind as the result of the shooting of Irving J. McDonald by Joseph Furlong last night. Furlong probably will be arraigned to day on a charge of murder and be bound over to the grand jury, or held for the criminal court.

All of this week's social engagements in St. Joseph have been cancelled as a mark of respect for the McDonald family.

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Here is a Chance for Lovers of Fine Linens—for Thrifty Housewives, for Hotels and Boarding Houses to Secure Tempting Bargains in Table Damasks, Napkins, Lunch Cloths, Tray Cloths, Matched Sets, Etc.

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54-inch Unbleached Damasks, our 25c quality, per yd.39c

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6 pcs. very heavy Cream Damask, worth 60c, sale price, per yd.45c

Extra Quality Cream Damasks

3 pcs. 72-inch Cream Damask, 85c goods, per yd.60c

4 pcs. \$1 Barnsley's Double Damask, our 1 quality, for, per yd.82c

Specials in Bleached Linens

64-inch Unbleached Damasks, reduced to, per yd.29c

64-inch Fine Mercerized Damasks, reduced to, per yd.45c

62-inch All Linen Bleached Damasks, per yd.42c

64-inch extra good 60c Damasks, sale price, per yd.48c

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5 pcs. beautiful designs, pure white heavy Linens, full 2 yds. wide, regular 85c and 90c goods, for, per yd.60c

4 pcs. of 70-inch Bleached Linens, 75c values, per yd.59c

2 pcs. of 70-inch Bleached Linens, 90c values, per yd.79c

3 pcs. heavy Bleached Damasks, choicest new designs, 2 yds. wide, worth up to \$1.15 yd., for, per yd.85c

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lar price \$1.25, special, per yd.89c

6 pcs. Set in Damasks, double weight and very fine, 2 yds. wide, new patterns, \$1.50 and \$1.75 goods, per yd.1.19

\$2.00 Bleached Damasks, reduced for 39c

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Four Extra Specials in Napkins

150 dozen all linen, full bleached napkins, fine serviceable quality: 40 doz. Bleached Napkins, worth \$1.00, for, per doz.80c

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For further information, call on T. J. Smith, Agent Wabash road, Jacksonville, Ill., or address C. B. Crane, General Agent and Ticket Agent, Wabash road, St. Louis; H. V. P. Taylor, Asst. Gen. Agent, Wabash road, St. Louis, Mo.

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F. A. MOSELEY, V. P.

M. H. HAVENHILL, Sec'y-Treas.

Washington, Nov. 17.—For Illinois: Fair with cold wave Tuesday. Wednesday fair and continued cold; diminishing northwest winds.

Mrs. Jerome Culp and daughter, Miss Lena, have gone to Kansas City to visit friends. From there they expect to go to Sterling, Kan., and other points in the west.

Miss Elizabeth Mathers will give an organ recital Thursday night at 8:15 in Centenary church. The public is invited to be present.

Several thousand people took advantage of the beautiful weather Sunday and drove out to see the work being done on the right of way of the new railroad. J. W. Graham, who lives on North Main street, just north of the bridge, kept a count of the number of vehicles which passed his home between 4 and 5 o'clock and found there were 365.

THE DEATH RECORD.

BARRY.

William Barry, aged 66 years, died at the Central hospital Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He had been in failing health for almost a year. The deceased was born in England and came to this country when about 20 years of age, settling on a farm near Woodson, where he lived for several years and later purchased the old Thompson farm, near Merritt, on which place he had lived for nearly twenty-five years. He was a large land owner and cattle raiser and a very successful farmer. He was married to a Miss Thompson, who resided near Woodson, who survives him, together with eight children, three sons, Joseph, John and James Barry, all living in this county, and five daughters, Mrs. Gaines, of Jacksonville; Mrs. William Hawk, of Winchester; Misses Mollie, Hattie and Polly Barry, who reside at home.

The funeral will be conducted from the residence, one mile east of Merritt, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

DAVIES.

William L. Davies, deputy United States marshal, died Monday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George Pelham, in Springfield, at the age of 62 years, 6 months and 3 days. Besides the daughter at whose home he died he is survived by one other daughter, Mrs. Albert Hay, of Springfield, and by his wife.

ASKS DIVORCE.

Mrs. Soleta McCormick, by her attorneys, C. A. Barnes and J. O. Priest, has filed a suit for divorce from her husband John McCormick, to whom she was married in 1901. She gives cruelty as the cause for the divorce proceedings. Mrs. McCormick asked for an injunction to restrain her husband from disposing of his property and it was granted.



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THE LECTURE COURSE

Superb Concert Program Given by Suzanne Adams and Company.

Jacksonville people last night had the opportunity of hearing a very fine concert program given by the Suzanne Adams company at the opera house. The attraction was the initial one of the lecture course and certainly furnished an auspicious beginning. The program was one of ten numbers, but there was an encore for each one, so that the splendid program was not completed until 10:30.

Madame Adams is certainly a great artist. Her voice is rich and full and in the higher notes there is a bird-like quality. She excels in dramatic work and sings with the highest degree of feeling and expression. Madame Adams is still a young and handsome woman and her successes in the operatic and concert work have given her no offensive mannerisms. She is perfectly natural in her bearing and this fact adds greatly to the charm of her public appearances. The audience was delighted with her numbers last night and continued to demand encores. Suzanne Adams is an American girl, who has worked for what she has and is, and the country is proud of it.

The numbers by Mr. Carl Griener, cellist, were especially enjoyed. He plays as if he loved the instrument and made it speak his thoughts and feelings. He has the delicacy of touch and intensity of musical instinct which make him an artist of great merit.

Mr. George Crampton, baritone, has a voice of pleasing quality and good range, and the audience enjoyed his work. However, there was nothing phenomenal about it. Mr. Ward Stephens, pianist and accompanist for the company, has certainly special talents in piano work. He plays with exquisite taste in solo work and as an accompanist he is superb.

The program, as a whole, was one of artistic excellence and the audience was unstinted in praise. The management of the lecture course has certainly given a brilliant opening for the course of entertainments. The program:

- Duo—Sonata, D major (allegro molto).....Rubinstein
-Mr. Stephens and Mr. Griener.
- Song—The Toreador Song (Carmen).....Bizet
-Mr. Crampton.
- 'Cello solo—Dance of the Basques.....Platti
-Mr. Griener.
- Aria—The Jewel Song (Faust).....Gounod
-Mme. Adams.
- Duo for voice and 'cello—Obstination.....Fontanelles
-Mme. Adams and Mr. Griener.
- Piano solo—
- a. Barcarolle.....Liszt
- b. Tremolo.....Gottschalk
-Mr. Stephens.
- Songs—
- a. A Song of Sleep.....Somerset
- b. The Roamer (Son and Stranger).....Mendelssohn
-Mr. Crampton.
- 'Cello solo—
- a. Cradle Song.....Schubert
- b. Spinning Wheel.....Popper
-Mr. Griener.
- Songs—
- A Little Thief.....Stern
- Printemps Valse.....Stern
-Mme. Adams.
- Duo—La ci darem (Don Giovanni).....Mozart
-Mme. Adams and Mr. Crampton.

DAMAGE SUIT.

The suit of John Lamming against the J. & St. L. road for \$2,500 damages was commenced in the circuit court before Judge Thompson Monday. Mr. Lamming was a passenger on the J. & St. L. train which was wrecked near Pisgah last December. The defendant maintains that his injuries were sufficient to cause the suit. Messrs. J. Marshall Miller and H. M. Ticknor are attorneys for Mr. Lamming and Judge Kirby for the railroad. The jury are Albert Germain, M. V. Wyatt, S. P. Carter, F. M. Powers, John Rea, Ira Shuff, W. T. Cook, A. W. Dial, John Darley, J. T. Kershaw, John Lockhart, Jr., J. M. McGinnis.

FUNERALS.

BRECKON.

At the funeral of Rev. Vickerman Breckon Monday Rev. N. English read the following:

Rev. Vickerman Breckon was born at Bridlington Quay, Yorkshire, England, Feb. 23, 1828. He emigrated to America with his parents and settled in Morgan county, Ill., in 1844, in the neighborhood of Hebron church, on Jacksonville circuit, Illinois conference. He was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Stimpson, Jan. 17, 1855. To them were born three children, Sarah M. (deceased), James W. and Joseph V. They lived together in holy wedlock until July 15, 1899, when his wife was taken to her reward. He was married the second time to Mrs. Isabella Gilliland Oct. 17, 1900, who survives him.

At the age of 18 he lost his father and was left largely to care for and support his widowed mother. He was a successful farmer, living in the neighborhood of Hebron church till April, 1889, when, deciding to give up active business, he moved to Jacksonville, living there until the time of his death. Besides his two sons, already mentioned, and a stepson, J. W. Stimpson, he leaves three sisters: Catharine Swain, of Jacksonville; Ann E. Stalker, of Carthage, Mo., and Harriet Wilson, of Central City, Neb. Also a brother, John W. Breckon, of Central City, Neb.

He was born of religious parents and early taught the fear of God, both by precept and example. His mind was very early impressed with the thought of death and preparation therefore. So that under a sermon preached by that man of God, Rev. Joseph Mortimer in Wesley chapel, at Filer, England, he professed faith in Christ and was converted. But, like others, he afterward lost the evidence and assurance of his acceptance with God. But he continued to be a regular attendant on the means of grace. God's spirit never forsook him, but kept calling him back until at a camp meeting held on the Robinson camp ground, he was again brought into fellowship with Christ, under a sermon preached by the Rev. Daniel Short, a local preacher. This took place in August, 1845. He was then assigned to the class of Father Dods-worth. Rev. Wilson Pitner was the preacher in charge. He continued a member of this class until the death of its leader in 1859, when he became its leader by the appointment of the pastor, Rev. James Moore. At a leaders and stewards' meeting held at Hebron Feb. 19, 1870, he was recommended as an exhorter, and licensed by Rev. Sampson Shinn. On July 18, 1873, he was examined and recommended for license to preach by the quarterly conference at Hebron and licensed a local preacher by the pastorate of Rev. William Johnson, Rev. William H. H. Moore being presiding elder.

His first text was, "Having therefore obtained the help of God, I continue unto this day," Acts 22:26; "If the righteous scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and sinner appear?" 1st Peter 4:18. Some time before that he had been led into the experience of perfect love, under a sermon preached by his pastor, Rev. William M. Read, from the text, "Perfect love casteth out all fear," from which time he was enabled to bear testimony to an instantaneous work of grace, obtained in this life by simple faith in the merits of the atonement of Christ. Good enough for any sinner. Glory to God!

He was ordained a local deacon by Bishop Hurst at Danville, Sept. 23, 1883. He believed he was called of God to preach the Gospel in all its fullness. And at a meeting held at Hebron by Rev. A. M. Danely and Mrs. E. E. Williams, evangelist, he received Christ in all the possibilities of grace, O, blessed experience. All glory to the Lamb of God forever and ever.

And again, being led by the Lord to apply for elders' order as a means of greater usefulness in the work of his Master, he was ordained a local elder by Bishop H. W. Warren at Bloomington Sept. 20, 1891.

Oh, for Grace to perform the duties of an elder in the fear of the Lord! And if I have lived a Christian life before my family I have not

lived in vain. To God be all the glory.

He filled most of the official positions in the church, but more especially that of class leader. For some time he had charge of three classes at once, which, in the country, meant a great deal of sacrifice in order to visit the delinquent members, the aged and the shut-ins. But, "oh, the enjoyment and benefit he received," he declared was more than he gave. He was a total abstainer from all intoxicants all his life. He was identified with the Prohibition party about 1880.

The last text he preached from was Malachi 3:3: "Will a man rob God?" delivered at Hebron, where he preached his first sermon. He departed this life Nov. 13, 1903, at about 9 a. m. He was conscious to the very last and died a very triumphant death.

His last hours were full of exclamations of praise to God. Near the closing moments he repeated the following quotations:

"Not a cloud doth arise
To darken my skies,
Or hide for a moment
My Lord from my eyes."

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."

The funeral took place Monday, Nov. 16, commencing at the residence in Jacksonville at 10:30 o'clock a. m. The services there were conducted by Dr. H. H. Oneal, assisted by Rev. W. H. Musgrove. Dr. Oneal read appropriate selections of Scriptures and spoke of the exemplary life and noble Christian character of the deceased. As a minister he had faithfully preached the glorious message of salvation, which to him was a matter of wondrous experience. His memory would ever be cherished by the sorrowing family and relatives, and all whose lives had been so enriched by his life and influence. Every one present was lifted upward by the pathos and noble thought of Rev. W. H. Musgrove's prayer and the splendid music rendered by a select choir. At the close of these services the remains were taken to Hebron church, where the services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. N. English, assisted by Rev. L. B. Kent, Dr. G. E. Scrimger and Dr. W. F. Short.

After the reading of the memoir of this remarkable life by the pastor and appropriate words concerning the closing hours of the triumphant end of this beautiful life, Dr. Scrimger led in an earnest prayer for God's blessing upon all that were touched by this visitation of God's providence.

Rev. L. B. Kent then preached a strong sermon, full of thought and instruction, from the text selected by the deceased himself: Psalms 34:6, "This poor man cried and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles." He showed that "man is born unto troubles, as the sparks fly upward." This was not peculiarly true of this brother, for his life had been bountifully full of the blessings of God. Yet he had had his troubles with sin and had cried unto the Lord, who had heard him and saved him out of all his troubles. The sinner who does not come to God nor cry unto Him cannot hope for this salvation. The Christian has troubles peculiar unto himself because he is a Christian. A trouble which the world knows not of, namely, sorrow for loved ones and friends who are going on in the way of a sinful life, and will not turn therefrom. This sorrow is unavoidable, but it will work out for him a far more exceeding an eternal weight of glory.

In his address, which followed the sermon, Dr. Short likened the deceased to Nathaneal, whom Jesus called "an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile." He believed the deceased to have been one of the few men who was before God just what he appeared to be before men. He had enriched the community and all who were acquainted with him by his Godly example and teaching. He admonished all to try and follow the Savior as he had done.

Appropriate hymns were sung by the choir with J. Philip Read, organist of Grace church, at the organ.

The mortal remains, enshrined in a beautiful casket, were laid to rest in the cemetery by the side of the church, there to await the resurrection morn.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather a large concourse of people came together both at the residence and the church to pay their last respects to their brother and friend.

The bearers of the casket were: J. F. Kitner, Charles Kitner, Richard Dods-worth, William McCullough, Charles Swain and William Dods-worth.

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THE DUNLAP SALE.

J. M. Dunlap had a public sale Monday at his farm east of the city and it was well attended in spite of unpleasant weather. The proceeds of the sale amounted to about \$2,000. Thirty acres of corn sold at 33 cents per bushel. Seventy hogs were disposed of and about forty cattle.

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